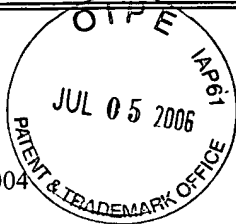


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Applicant(s):	LI et al.	Group Art Unit:	1635
Serial No.:	10/772,661	Examiner:	Tracy Ann Vivlemore
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Mail Stop Amendment

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- A Petition for Extension of Time for 3 month(s). Please charge \$510 for the required fee to Deposit Account 13-4895.
- An Information Disclosure Statement (2 pgs), 1449 forms (1 pg); and copies of 3 documents cited on the 1449 forms.
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